

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS
BOSTON DIVISION**

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

Plaintiff,

v.

ABBOTT LABORATORIES, INC., et al.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12058 (D. Mass.)]

BARR LABORATORIES, INC.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12056 (D. Mass.)]

BAXTER INTERNATIONAL, INC., et al.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12062 (D. Mass.)]

BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM CORP., et al.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12063 (D. Mass.)]

FOREST LABORATORIES, INC., et al.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12065 (D. Mass.)]

IVAX CORPORATION, et al.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12059 (D. Mass.)]

SANOFI-AVENTIS, et al.;

[Originally Case No. 09-12061 (D. Mass.)]

SCHERING-PLOUGH CORP., et al.; and

[Originally Case No. 09-12060 (D. Mass.)]

**TEVA PHARMACEUTICALS USA, INC.,
et al.;**

[Originally Case No. 09-12064 (D. Mass.)]

Defendants.

**Civil Action No. 01-12257-PBS
MDL No. 1456**

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTIONS TO REMAND

On December 2, 2009 the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation transferred nine actions then pending in the Northern District of Mississippi to this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. On December 3, 2009 this Court consolidated all nine of the above-captioned actions into Case No. 01-12257. There is currently a Motion to Remand pending in each of the nine actions.

(Dkt. #6 in Case No. 09-12056; Dkt. #2 in Case No. 09-12058; Dkt. #3 in Case No. 09-12059; Dkt. #6 in Case No. 09-12060; Dkt. #9 in Case No. 09-12061; Dkt. #6 in Case No. 09-12062; Dkt. #10 in Case No. 09-12063; Dkt. #5 in Case No. 09-12064; Dkt. #7 in Case No. 09-12065).

COMES NOW Plaintiff, by and through counsel, and files this Notice of Withdrawal of Plaintiff's above-described Motions to Remand. Plaintiff's Motions to Remand are hereby WITHDRAWN.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this the 12th day of January, 2010.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 12, 2010, a copy of the foregoing was filed electronically. Notice of this filing will be sent by operation of the Court's electronic filing system to all parties indicated on the electronic filing receipt.

/s/ Stuart H. McCluer